

FISCAL NOTE

SB 2136 - HB 2386

January 26, 2000

SUMMARY OF BILL: Eliminates provision stating that if litter is discovered on public or private property where disposal of litter is not permitted that bears the name of a natural person, it is inferred that the natural person has committed the offense of criminal littering. Criminal littering is a class B misdemeanor punishable by fine and litter removal.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant
Decrease Local Govt. Revenues - Not Significant

Impact depends upon the decrease in the number of persons convicted of criminal littering due to the elimination of this section and the resulting decreased cost to local governments for supervision of litter removal by such persons versus the decreased revenues to local governments from fines that would have been collectible under the provisions of the current law. The impact is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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